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TO: File
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SUBJECT: Phone Conversation with Bob Wachsmuth
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At approximately one o'clock this afternoon I received a telephone call from Bob Wachsmuth calling from Lake County, Indiana. He related the events of the morning. Apparently he, Bob Bartholomew, Rene Hix, and John Cerocke were making an off-site inspection of the Stauffer Chemical site, standing off the property on a railroad right-of-way when their presence became known to the plant manager - a Mr. Miles. Mr. Miles was upset that they were taking pictures and, in general, conducting the investigation. He invited (demanded?) that Bob come to his office and explain. Bob did so, showing Mr. Miles his EPA - E & E letter of introduction. I gathered from Bob that Mr. Miles was not satisfied by the explanation. Bob said to be prepared for a possible phone call from Miles to us or the EPA.

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cc: Bob Wachsmuth